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Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing is the utility patent application of:

Inventors or Application Identifier: John Elmore Schier

METHOD, DEVICE, AND NETWORK FOR PROVIDING SECURE Entitled: COMMUNICATION ENVIRONMENTS

Enclosed are:

- Fee Transmittal Form 1. [X]
- 2. [X] Specification, Claims and Abstract (33 Total Pages)
- [X] Drawings (<u>2</u> Total Sheet(s) of <u>X</u> Formal <u>Informal</u>)
- Signed Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney ( 4. [x]
- 4 Total Pages)
  - [ ] New executed (faxed original)
  - Copy from a prior application
  - (for continuation/divisional only)
- 5. Priority of foreign Application No. [] is claimed under 35 U.S.C. § 119. on
  - [ ] A certified copy is attached.
- A certified copy was filed in prior Application Serial [ ] No. , filed
- An Assignment of the invention to Cisco Technology, Inc. is attached. A separate cover sheet in compliance with 37 C.F.R. § 3.28 and § 3.31 is included with an Assignment recordal fee of \$40.00 pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.21(h).

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8.	[ ]	Preliminary Amendment					
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11.	[ ]	Other:					
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## CLAIMS AS FILED IN THE APPLICATION, LESS ANY CLAIMS CANCELED BY PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT OR ADDED BY PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

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Independent Claims	6	- 3 =	3	X \$78 =	\$ 234.00
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I hereby certify that the attached Transmittal, Patent Application, Declaration and Power of Attorney, Assignment, PTO-1595 Assignment Recordation Cover Sheet and Formal Drawings, are being deposited with the United States Postal Service "Express Mail Post Office to Addressee" service under 37 C.F.R. 1.10 on this 8th day of September, 2000, and is addressed to the Assistant Commissioner of Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231.

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